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Applicants : Fumihiko Nishio, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on June 23, 2005, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on September 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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